

LOCAL AND NEWS ITEMS.

Why is a bad boy like a bear's cub? Because he improves by licking.

FRUIT TREES, of all descriptions, in this locality, are looking admirably well. Unless some unexpected casualty prevents fruit will be certain and abundant here about the coming season.

An accident occurred to the freight train, on the D. & M. Railway, at this point, on Friday last. Owing to a spread in the rails two cars were thrown from the track—one containing two horses, which were both safely rescued.

Just now the work of gardening, raking and sweeping door-yards and lawns, trimming trees and shrubbery, and house-cleaning, seems to be the prevailing business feature of our village. This is precisely what ought to be done. Do it thoroughly.

We still eat, and hope to be able to do so for time to come, but prices are getting awful! Butter 40 cents; eggs, 18 cents; sugars, from 22 to 25 cents, &c., &c., in proportion. Stiff prices these, with still brighter prospects of their becoming stiffer. Into what excesses and ruin will not Uncle Abe's administration lead us!

The school examinations, last week, in the several departments of the Union School, of our village, went off with spirit and satisfaction to those of the patrons and friends of the school in attendance. The recitations generally showed a mastery of the several branches attended to by the pupils that did credit to both instructors and to those instructed.

Mr. WILLIAM CONNOLLY, a go-ahead and enterprising farmer of Tallmadge, is entitled to our thanks for a sweet remembrance—a large package of beautiful maple sugar. Favors of this kind come to us as an oasis upon the desert pathway of a printer's pilgrimage.

We acknowledge the receipt of a similar gift from Mr. Miner Hedges, of Lamont, who will also accept our thanks.

As a matter of public interest we make known the fact that Mr. Shirley Hammond, an old and widely known resident of Spring Lake, recently purchased the property and right of ferryage of the Bridge Street Ferry, three-fourths of a mile east of Grand Haven. Such a force of assistants are now employed at this ferry that the least delay of either teams or foot passengers is avoided. We can assure those having occasion to pass over Bridge Street Ferry a prompt and satisfactory passage at all hours.

A CATTLE accident occurred near Nunda on Wednesday last. Mr. Thomss Banister, in the employ of Wm. Thompson, Esq., in attempting to mount a wild, vicious, half-broken colt, was thrown violently to the ground, the colt treading on him, breaking and slivering the bones where they had knut but a few weeks previously—having been broken in the fall while engaged in loading logs and nearly severing the muscles, &c., besides breaking several ribs. Dr. Carpenter, of Grand Rapids, was called to attend the sufferer. It is feared the limb will require amputation.

An attempt was made, on Tuesday last, by Sheriff Pfaff, to arrest Samuel Gerard, of Polkton, supposed to be an accomplice of Nichols Lesant, who was recently arrested at Grand Rapids, for purloining goods from the cars of the D. & M. Railway, at that point. Mr. G. has seemed to be quite flush with goods of almost every description, of late, disposing of the same to neighbors around on liberal terms. The Sheriff with a posse succeeded in bringing the party to a halt, but under pretention of obtaining money from a neighbor, was allowed to pass in care of one of the posse, when, at a convenient distance from the Sheriff, he turned upon his attendant with a pitchfork and succeeded to make his escape, and is probably safe from arrest long ere this.

MARCH, 1864.

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In connection with the new and powerful UPPER CABIN STEAMSHIPS "DETROIT" & "MILWAUKEE."

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Grand Haven, Sept. 7, 1859. [n361f]

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